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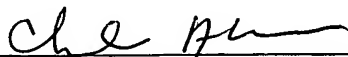
**LETTER**

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Sir:

Applicants are submitting herewith the English translation of the above application to replace the French text and a Preliminary amendment. The fee for filing in a foreign application was submitted with the application.

Respectfully submitted,  
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